- "(A) not less than 10 percent, in total, of what has been collected of the monetary sanctions imposed in the action or related actions; and
- "(B) not more than 30 percent, in total, of what has been collected of the monetary sanctions imposed in the action or related actions
  - "(2) PAYMENT OF AWARDS.—
- "(A) IN GENERAL.—Any amount paid under paragraph (1) shall be paid from the Fund established under paragraph (3).
- "(B) RELATED ACTIONS.—The Secretary may pay awards less than the amount described in paragraph (1)(A) for related actions in which a whistleblower may be paid by another whistleblower award program.
- "(3) Source of Awards.—
- "(A) IN GENERAL.—There shall be established in the Treasury of the United States a revolving fund to be known as the Financial Integrity Fund (referred to in this subsection as the 'Fund').
- "(B) USE OF FUND.—The Fund shall be available to the Secretary, without further appropriation or fiscal year limitations, only for the payment of awards to whistleblowers as provided in subsection (b).
- "(C) RESTRICTIONS ON USE OF FUND.—The Fund shall not be available to pay any personnel or administrative expenses.
  - "(4) DEPOSITS AND CREDITS.—
- "(A) IN GENERAL.—There shall be deposited into or credited to the Fund an amount equal to—
- "(i) any monetary sanction collected by the Secretary or Attorney General in any judicial or administrative action under this title, chapter 35 or section 4305 or 4312 of title 50, or the Foreign Narcotics Kingpin Designation Act (21 U.S.C. 1901 et seq.), unless the balance of the Fund at the time the monetary sanction is collected exceeds \$300,000,000; and
- "(ii) all income from investments made under paragraph (5).
- "(B) ADDITIONAL AMOUNTS.—If the amounts deposited into or credited to the Fund under subparagraph (A) are not sufficient to satisfy an award made under this subsection, there shall be deposited into or credited to the Fund an amount equal to the unsatisfied portion of the award from any monetary sanction collected by the Secretary of the Treasury or Attorney General in the covered judicial or administrative action on which the award is based.
- "(C) EXCEPTION.—No amounts to be deposited or transferred into the United States Victims of State Sponsored Terrorism Fund pursuant to the Justice for United States Victims of State Sponsored Terrorism Act (34 U.S.C. 20144) or the Crime Victims Fund pursuant section 1402 of the Victims of Crime Act of 1984 (34 U.S.C. 20101) shall be deposited into or credited to the Fund.
- "(5) INVESTMENTS.—
- "(A) AMOUNTS IN FUND MAY BE INVESTED.— The Secretary of the Treasury may invest the portion of the Fund that is not required to meet the current needs of the Fund.
- "(B) ELIGIBLE INVESTMENTS.—Investments shall be made by the Secretary of the Treasury in obligations of the United States or obligations that are guaranteed as to principal and interest by the United States, with maturities suitable to the needs of the Fund as determined by the Secretary.
- "(C) INTEREST AND PROCEEDS CREDITED.— The interest on, and the proceeds from the sale or redemption of, any obligations held in the Fund shall be credited to, and form a part of, the Fund.".
- (b) Technical and Conforming Amendments.—Section 5323 of title 31, United States Code, is amended—
  - (1) in subsection (a)—

- (A) in paragraphs (1) and (5), by striking "this subchapter or subchapter III" each place the term appears and inserting "this subchapter, chapter 35 or section 4305 or 4312 of title 50, the Foreign Narcotics Kingpin Designation Act (21 U.S.C. 1901 et seq.), or .), and for conspiracies to violate the aforementioned provisions"; and
  - (B) in paragraph (4)—
- (i) by inserting "covered" after "respect to any";
- (ii) by striking "under this subchapter or subchapter III"; and
- (iii) by striking "action by the Secretary or the Attorney General" and inserting "covered action";
- (2) in subsection (c)(1)(B)(iii)—
- (A) by striking "subchapter and subchapter III" and inserting "this subchapter, chapter 35 or section 4305 or 4312 of title 50, and the Foreign Narcotics Kingpin Designation Act (21 U.S.C. 1901 et seq.)"; and
- (B) by striking "either such subchapter" and inserting "the covered judicial or administrative action"; and
- (3) in subsection (g)(4)(D)(i), by inserting "chapter 35 or section 4305 or 4312 of title 50, or the Foreign Narcotics Kingpin Designation Act (21 U.S.C. 1901 et seq.)," after "subchapter,".

The bill, as amended, was ordered to be engrossed for a third reading and was read the third time.

Ms. HASSAN. I know of no further debate on the bill, as amended.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there further debate on the bill?

Hearing none, the bill having been read the third time, the question is, Shall the bill pass?

The bill (S. 3316), as amended, was passed.

Ms. HASSAN. I further ask that the motion to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

# FEMA IMPROVEMENT, REFORM, AND EFFICIENCY ACT OF 2022

Ms. HASSAN. Mr. President, I ask that the Chair lay before the Senate the message to accompany S. 3092.

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the following message from the House of Representatives:

Resolved, That the bill from the Senate (S. 3092) entitled "An Act to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to improve the provision of certain disaster assistance, and for other purposes.", do pass with an amendment.

# MOTION TO CONCUR

Ms. HASSAN. I move to concur in the House amendment, and I ask unanimous consent that the motion be agreed to and that the motion to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

# CLEAR AND CONCISE CONTENT ACT OF 2022

Ms. HASSAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of Calendar No. 502, S. 4577.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the bill by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows: A bill (S. 4577) to improve plain writing and public experience, and for other purposes.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill, which had been reported from the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, with amendments, as follows:

(The parts of the bill intended to be stricken are shown in boldface brackets and the parts of the bill intended to be inserted are shown in italic.)

#### S. 4577

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

## SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Clear and Concise Content Act of 2022".

### SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.

In this Act:

- (1) AGENCY.—The term "agency" means an executive agency and a military department, as such terms are defined in sections 105 and 102 of title 5, United States Code, respectively.
- (2) COVERED CONTENT.—The term "covered content"—
  - (A) means any content that-
- (i) is necessary for obtaining any benefit or service from the Federal Government or for filing taxes; or
  - (ii) provides information about—
- (I) any benefit or service from the Federal Government;
- (II) any operations, policies, or guidance of an agency that are of material importance to the agency and are posted publicly by the agency, including any explanation of how to comply with a requirement the Federal Government administers or enforces:
- (III) how to interact with or provide feedback to an agency regarding the operations, policies, or guidance of the agency; or
- (IV) how to navigate or interact with any agency website, digital service, or office;
  - (B) includes-
- (i) (whether in paper or electronic form) a letter, publication, form, notice, guidance, policy, instruction, or official correspondence of an agency;
- (ii) all content necessary for public understanding, interaction, and use of an agency digital service or website; and
- (iii) instructions on how to submit comments, feedback, or information in response to a regulation during any portion of the rulemaking or implementation process for a regulation; and
- (C) subject to subparagraph (B)(iii), does not include a regulation.
- (3) DIRECTOR.—The term "Director" means the Director of the Office of Management and Budget.
- (4) OPEN GOVERNMENT DATA ASSET.—The term "open Government data asset" has the meaning given that term in section 3502 of title 44, United States Code.
- (5) PLAIN WRITING.—The term "plain writing" means writing that is clear, concise, well-organized, and follows other best practices appropriate to the subject or field and intended audience, including an audience who may be disabled, may not be proficient in English, or may otherwise be disadvantaged or traditionally underserved.

## SEC. 3. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DIRECTOR.

(a) In General.—Not later than 180 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the Director shall rescind outdated guidance and issue new guidance for the creation, maintenance, and use of covered content at agencies.